IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

THERESA RAFFENSPERGER, JON C. DUBNANSKY, VIRGINIA LEE WALTERS Class Representative Plaintiffs, Individually and on Behalf of a Class Civil Action of Voters Entitled to Cast No. 03-CV-06949 Their Votes by Federally Mandated "Alternative Ballots") in the Pennsylvania Election of November 4, 2003, but Whose Mailed Ballots Have Not Been Counted by the County Board of Elections Because Those Ballots Were Received After the Deadline for the Receipt of State Law "Absentee Ballots," and JOHN J. DRISCOLL, Plaintiffs, VS. PHILADELPHIA COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS, ALLEGHENY COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS, CARBON COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS, WESTMORELAND COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS, PEDRO A. CORTÉS, SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH, MONNA J. ACCURTI, COMMISSIONER, BUREAU OF COMMISSIONS, ELECTIONS AND LEGISLATION, PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF STATE, Defendants,

ORDER

NOW, this 24th day of April, 2004, upon consideration of Defendant the Philadelphia County Board of Elections Motion to Dismiss the Complaint filed February 11, 2004; it appearing that the motion is unopposed,

IT IS ORDERED that the motion is granted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Philadelphia County

Board of Elections is dismissed from this action with prejudice.

BY THE COURT:

James Knoll Gardner United States District Judge